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**FEE TRANSMITTAL
For FY 2005**

		Complete if Known	
		Application Number	09/980,199-Conf. #9426
		Filing Date	March 8, 2002
		First Named Inventor	Detlev NEULAND
		Examiner Name	I. N. Hamilton
		Art Unit	3724
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Attorney Docket No.	3868-0104P
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT		(\$ 1,240.00)	

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check	<input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card	<input type="checkbox"/> Money Order	<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (please identify): _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Deposit Account		Deposit Account Number: 02-2448		Deposit Account Name: Birch, Stewart, Kolasch & Birch, LLP
For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)				
<input type="checkbox"/> Charge fee(s) indicated below		<input type="checkbox"/> Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayment of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Credit any overpayments		

FEE CALCULATION**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

<u>Application Type</u>	<u>FILING FEES</u>		<u>SEARCH FEES</u>		<u>EXAMINATION FEES</u>		
	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u> <u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u> <u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u> <u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fees Paid (\$)</u>
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEESFee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

<u>Total Claims</u>	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>	<u>Multiple Dependent Claims</u>
6	= 20	x =		<u>Fee (\$)</u> <u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>

<u>Indep. Claims</u>	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>
1	= 3	x =	

3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

<u>Total Sheets</u>	<u>Extra Sheets</u>	<u>Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>
- 100 =	/50	(round up to a whole number) x =		

4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)	
Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): 1801 Request for continued examination (RCE) (see 37 ... 1252 Extension for response within second month	790.00 330.00*

SUBMITTED BY	
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	May 16, 2005

*An extension of one (1) month was previously requested and paid for on April 13, 2005 in the instant application. Thus, a fee of \$330.00 is required to obtain an additional one (1) month extension.